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PATENT
Attorney Docket No. 09877.0363

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
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Alfredo GAMBIRASIO, *et al.*) Group Art Unit: 2874
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Application No.: 10/550,463) Examiner: Omar R. Rojas
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Filed: September 26, 2005)
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For: MICROSTRUCTURED OPTICAL) Confirmation No.: 4626
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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

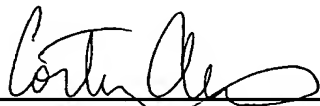
Applicant petitions for a one month extension of time to file a reply to the Office
Action of November 20, 2006. A fee of \$120.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached
reply and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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